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Land Department

February 23, 2011

Angelina Romero  
23736 Weld County Road 43  
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RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**  
**Well Set-Back (Twinning) Exception Consent**  
ROMERO PC G10-79HN  
Township 4 North, Range 65 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 3: SW/4NW/4  
Weld County, CO

Dear Ms. Romero:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the ROMERO PC G10-79HN well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 2,235 feet FNL, and 273 feet FWL which is outside the drilling window prescribed in Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rule 318A.a.(1).

By signing this letter you hereby grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well outside of a GWA window as defined in COGCC Rule 318A.a. Additionally, the Well is being proposed at a surface location approximately 427 feet from an existing surface well location. By signing this letter you also grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well more than 50 feet from the existing well as provided for under COGCC Rule 318A.c.(2).

We would like to thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions do not hesitate to call me at (970) 785-5000.

NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

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Erik T. Van Decar

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By: Angelina Romero

Date: 2-24-11